## CHAPTER 124.

H. F. 267.

AN ACT for the relief of William M. Desmond.

Whereas, William M. Desmond, while sheriff of Clinton county, Iowa, in the year 1891, had a bill against the state of Iowa in the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars for the return of one Patrick Halinan, a fugitive from justice, under requisition papers issued by the governor of the state; and whereas the same was approved by the governor and its payment recommended by him; and whereas the same was not audited or paid by reason of the fact that in the opinion of the attorney general the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, not having been presented in time; and whereas the said claim is just and except for the statute of limitations payable; and

Whereas William M. Desmond, while sheriff of Clinton county, Iowa, in the year 1891, had a bill against the state of Iowa in the sum of one hundred sixty-two and 65-100 dollars for the return of one Owen Golden, a fugitive from justice, under requisition papers issued by the governor of the state; and whereas the same was approved by the governor and its payment recommended by him; and whereas the same was not audited or paid by reason of the fact that in the opinion of the attorney general the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, not having been presented in time; and whereas the said claim is just and except for the statute of limitations payable; and

Whereas William M. Desmond, while sheriff of Clinton county, Iowa, in the year 1891, had a bill against the state of Iowa in the sum of one hundred ninety-five (\$195.00) dollars for the return of one Henry Sullivan, a fugitive from justice, under requisition papers issued by the governor of the state; and whereas the same was approved by the governor, and its payment recommended by him; and whereas the same was not audited or paid by reason of the fact that in the opinion of the attorney general the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, not having been presented in time; and whereas the said claim is just, and except for the statute of limitations, payable; now therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Statute of limitation waived. That the statute of limitations applying to and barring said claims be waived, and that the respective officers of the state of Iowa having under the law duties in relation to the auditing, allowing, or paying said claims be and they are hereby authorized and directed to act upon said claims, and each of them respectively, the same as if not so barred by the statute of limitations.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa Capital, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Clinton County Advertiser, a newspaper published at Clinton, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 28, A. D. 1898.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa Capital, April 6, 1898, and in the Clinton County Advertiser, April 7, 1898.

G. L. Dobson, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 125.

H. F. 202.

AN ACT making an appropriation for the purchase of fifteen thousand railroad commissioners' official maps, to be distributed by the members of the General Assembly, and also railroad commissioners.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Number ordered—distribution. That the railroad commissioners are hereby directed to procure at the earliest possible date fifteen thousand copies of the railroad commissioners' official map of Iowa, and